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BEARKAT, SAMMY

PROGRAM CODE: BFA ARP

CATALOG YEAR: 2008

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS in ART - PHOTOGRAPHY

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AT LEAST ONE REQUIREMENT HAS NOT BEEN SATISFIED

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THE REQUIREMENTS LISTED BELOW ARE INCOMPLETE

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### LEGEND

COMPLETION STATUS	COURSE CODES
NO REQUIREMENT NOT COMPLETE	>R REPEATABLE COURSE
OK REQUIREMENT COMPLETE	>D DUPLICATED COURSE
IP IN PROGRESS COURSE	>T TRANSFERRED
+ SUB-REQUIREMENT COMPLETE	>A ADVANCED HOURS
- SUB-REQUIREMENT NOT COMPLETE	>N NON-ADVANCED HOURS
RG CURRENTLY ENROLLED COURSE	>C CORRESPONDENCE
	>W WRITING ENHANCED
	>G GRADUATE CREDIT

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NO COMPONENT AREA I (Communication)

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NO COMPONENT AREA II (Mathematics)

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NO COMPONENT AREA III (Natural Sciences)

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NO COMPONENT AREA IV (Humanities/Visual/Performing Arts)

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NO COMPONENT AREA V (Social/Behavioral Sciences)

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NO COMPONENT AREA VI (Institutionally Designated Option)

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NO DEGREE SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

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NO CUMULATIVE BFA ARP GPA  
(Includes SHSU and TRANSFER ARP courses)

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NO SHSU BFA ARP GPA  
(Only includes SHSU ARP course work)

ART majors seeking the BFA degree must maintain a cumulative 3.0 grade point average in ART courses including all residence and transferred work. These ART majors include: ART-Graphic Design, ART-Photography, ART-Studio Art, and ART-Computer Animation.

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**NO**      **ART-PHOTOGRAPHY MAJOR FOUNDATION**

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**NO**      **ART-PHOTOGRAPHY MAJOR**

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**NO**      **ART-PHOTOGRAPHY MAJOR ELECTIVES**

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A MINIMUM OF 12 HOURS IN RESIDENCE OF ADVANCED ART COURSES IS REQUIRED.

**NO**

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**NO**      **TOTAL HOURS (Includes SHSU hours and TRANSFER hours, also known as CUMULATIVE and OVERALL)**

25% OF THE HOURS REQUIRED FOR A DEGREE PROGRAM MUST BE TAKEN IN RESIDENCE AT SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY. A DEGREE PROGRAM CONSISTS OF THE FOLLOWING COURSE/HOURLY REQUIREMENTS: CORE CURRICULUM, MAJOR COURSE WORK, AND ELECTIVES REQUIRED TO MEET THE MINIMUM TOTAL HOUR REQUIREMENT. ALSO TO BE CONSIDERED, IS THE ADDITION OF A MINOR OR SECOND MAJOR, FOR WHICH ADDITIONAL HOURS WILL BE CALCULATED TOWARD THE DEGREE PROGRAM.

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**NO**      **SHSU HOURS (Only includes SHSU course work)**

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**NO**      **TOTAL ADVANCED HOURS (SHSU + TRANSFER)**

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**NO**      **SHSU ADVANCED HOURS**

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**NO**      **WRITING ENHANCED COURSES**

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ALL REQUIREMENTS LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN COMPLETED

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     **ELECTIVES**

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**OK**      **TRANSFER HOURS (Only includes courses transferred to SHSU)**

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A MAXIMUM OF 4 KINESIOLOGY HOURS ARE ALLOWED FOR NON KINESIOLOGY MAJORS AND MINORS. STUDENTS WHO ARE NON KINESIOLOGY MAJORS AND MINORS AND HAVE MORE THAN 4 HOURS OF KINESIOLOGY ACTIVITY LISTED ON THE ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPT WILL HAVE THIS AREA INDICATED WITH A "NO". IF THIS REQUIREMENT IS READING "NO" - YOU WILL NEED TO COUNT UP THE HOURS ABOVE THE 4 ALLOWED FOR KIN ACTIVITY AND SUBTRACT THAT NUMBER FROM THE TOTAL NUMBER OF HOURS COUNTING TOWARD THE DEGREE.

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THE FOLLOWING ARE MINIMUM DEGREE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL DEGREES AT SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY:

ALL DEGREES CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

TOTAL HOURS. A MINIMUM OF 120 HOURS TOTAL (DEVELOPMENTAL COURSES NOT INCLUDED) IS REQUIRED OF EACH DEGREE. SOME DEGREE PROGRAMS MAY REQUIRE ADDITIONAL HOURS ABOVE THE 120 MINIMUM.

ADVANCED HOURS. (300-400 LEVEL COURSES) 42 SEMESTER HOURS OF ADVANCED WORK MUST BE COMPLETED FOR A DEGREE. COURSES TAKEN FROM A COMMUNITY COLLEGE DO NOT TRANSFER FOR ADVANCED CREDIT.

WRITING ENHANCED COURSES. ALL UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE AT LEAST SIX WRITING ENHANCED COURSES ACCUMULATING A MINIMUM OF 18 SEMESTER HOURS TOWARD THE COMPLETION OF A DEGREE. OF THESE 18 HOURS, SIX HOURS MUST COME FROM THE STUDENT'S MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY.

MINIMUM RESIDENCE. RESIDENCY, FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEETING DEGREE REQUIREMENTS, IS DEFINED AS COURSES THAT REQUIRE INSTRUCTION AND INCLUDE:

- COURSE TAKEN ON THE CAMPUS OF SHSU
- COURSES TAKEN AT THE UNIVERSITY CENTER
- COURSES TAKEN AT SELECTED OFF-CAMPUS SITES
- COURSES TAKEN VIA THE WEB FROM SHSU AND ITV COURSES

THE FOLLOWING HOURS MUST BE COMPLETED "IN RESIDENCE" TO MEET DEGREE REQUIREMENTS:

- AT LEAST 25% OF THE CREDIT HOURS REQUIRED BY THE DEGREE (e.g. 32 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS FOR A 128 CREDIT HOUR PROGRAM) OF WHICH 24 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS MUST BE ADVANCED (300 OR 400-LEVEL),
- 12 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS (SCH) OF ADVANCED (300 OR 400-LEVEL) COURSEWORK WITHIN THE MAJOR FIELD OF STUDY,
- 6 SEMESTER CREDIT HOURS (SCH) OF ADVANCED (300 OR 400-LEVEL) COURSEWORK WITHIN THE MINOR FIELD OF STUDY (IF APPLICABLE).

NOTE: CORRESPONDENCE COURSES DO NOT MEET RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE. THE MINIMUM GPA REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION DICTATE A GPA OF AT LEAST 2.0 IN THE FOLLOWING:

- SHSU GPA
- CUMULATIVE GPA (SHSU AND TRANSFER)
- SHSU MAJOR GPA (SOME PROGRAMS REQUIRE A HIGHER GPA)
- CUMULATIVE MAJOR GPA (SHSU AND TRANSFER)
- SHSU MINOR GPA

-CUMULATIVE MINOR GPA (SHSU AND TRANSFER)

-NO MORE THAN 4 HOURS OF ACTIVITY KINESIOLOGY WILL COUNT TOWARD THE TOTAL HOUR REQUIREMENT.

-STUDENTS WILL BE ALLOWED TO DROP (Q-DROP) NO MORE THAN FIVE CLASSES DURING THEIR ACADEMIC CAREER AT SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY. CLASSES THAT ARE DROPPED PRIOR TO THE 12TH CLASS DAY (OR 4TH CLASS DAY DURING SUMMER SESSIONS) WILL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THIS CALCULATION. STUDENTS WHO HAVE USED THEIR LIMIT OF 5 Q-DROPS WILL NEED TO PETITION THEIR RESPECTIVE DEAN TO DROP A CLASS. IF THE DEAN REFUSES TO GRANT PERMISSION TO DROP A CLASS, A STUDENT WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMAIN IN THE CLASS.

-UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS WHO ENROLLED FOR THE FIRST TIME BETWEEN THE 1999 FALL SEMESTER AND THE 2006 SUMMER SEMESTER THAT EXCEED BY MORE THAN 45 HOURS THE NUMBER OF HOURS REQUIRED FOR THEIR DEGREE AT A TEXAS PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION MAY BE CHARGED AT A HIGHER RATE FOR THOSE EXCESS HOURS.

-UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS WHO ENROLLED FOR THE FIRST TIME BEGINNING WITH THE 2006 FALL SEMESTER THAT EXCEED BY MORE THAN 30 HOURS THE NUMBER OF HOURS REQUIRED FOR THEIR DEGREE AT A TEXAS PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION MAY BE CHARGED AT A HIGHER RATE FOR THOSE EXCESS HOURS.

-EFFECTIVE WITH THE FALL 2004 SEMESTER, THE TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM HAS AUTHORIZED SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY AND ALL OTHER COMPONENTS, TO CHARGE STUDENTS THE STATUTORY TUITION UP TO THE NON-RESIDENT RATE AS CALCULATED BY THE TEXAS HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD IF THE STUDENT IS ATTEMPTING THE COURSE FOR THE THIRD TIME (OR BEYOND).

NOTICE: THE UNIVERSITY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CHANGE CURRICULA, RULES, FEES, AND ANY OTHER REQUIREMENTS THAT MAY AFFECT STUDENTS. REQUIREMENTS LISTED IN UNOFFICIAL DEGREE PLANS OR CATALOGS DO NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, BETWEEN ANY APPLICANT, STUDENT, OR FACULTY MEMBER AND SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY OR ITS BOARD OF REGENTS.

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\*\*\*\*\* END OF ANALYSIS \*\*\*\*\*